



FFY 2021 SSIP Outcomes Measures Tracker

Coherent Improvement Strategy #1: Enhance professional development to ensure providers are able to identify social-emotional concerns and use the identified Evidence-Based Practice (EBP), the coaching framework, consistently and with fidelity when providing Early Childhood Intervention (ECI) services.

Outcome Description	Evaluation Questions	Performance Indicator	Data Collection Method	Evaluation Design & Timeline for Data Collection	Data Collected in FFY 2021
Providers utilize the Coaching Families Training with ECI service providers to improve knowledge of how to implement the coaching framework and move toward implementation with fidelity.	Did ECI providers across the state complete the Coaching Families Training with staff?	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 80% of ECI programs have service providers complete the Coaching Families Training within 12 months of onboarding• 80% of staff at each ECI program will complete the Coaching Families Training	The dates that new providers complete the Coaching Families Training are reported in the Coaching Fidelity Reports.	Quantitative analysis: Data compilation and analysis of training completion data across all 41 contracted ECI programs. ECI programs submit Coaching Fidelity Reports in March, June, September, and November.	Due to changes in data collection and staff turnover, this data is not available for FFY 2021. Texas ECI will report on this outcome in FFY 2022.

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	Do ECI staff who complete the Coaching Families training report increased knowledge of how to implement coaching with fidelity?	ECI staff completing the Coaching Families Training will demonstrate increased knowledge on at least 60% of the items in the Coaching Families Training Post-test.	Coaching Families trainees will complete a pre- and post-training survey of their perception of their knowledge of the coaching framework as part of the training module. Trainees will also complete a coaching pre- and post-test to measure change in knowledge.	Quantitative analysis: Data compilation and analysis of pre-training and post-training survey scores and coaching pre- and post-test scores to determine if a change in perception and an increase in knowledge occurred.	ECI staff demonstrated increased knowledge on 80% of the items in the post-test. In the post-test, more staff correctly identified which step isn't in coaching, a benefit of coaching, a description of modeling, and when joint planning should occur compared to the pre-test.
ECI service providers who receive coaching training will continue using coaching practices and maintain coaching fidelity with infants and toddlers with social-emotional development needs and their families.	Do ECI service providers who receive coaching training maintain fidelity to the coaching framework in annual coaching observations?	At least 90% of ECI service providers will achieve coaching fidelity during annual coaching observations.	Coaching fidelity scores are reported by ECI programs in quarterly Coaching Fidelity Reports. ECI supervisors use the Texas Coaching Fidelity Checklist during coaching observations to assess coaching skills.	Quantitative analysis: Data compilation and analysis of coaching fidelity observations completed by supervisors across all 41 contracted ECI programs. ECI programs submit Coaching Fidelity Reports in March, June, September, and November.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 97.7% of service providers met coaching fidelity in the first or second observation. • Of the service providers who met fidelity, 99.0% met the fidelity threshold during the first observation.

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	<p>Are there any sections of the Coaching Framework (Joint Planning, Observation, Action/Practice, Feedback, Reflection, and Joint Planning) that need more technical assistance and support than the others?</p>	<p>ECI service providers receiving annual observations will complete at least 70% of the items in each section of the Texas Coaching Fidelity Checklist (Joint Planning, Observation, Action/Practice, Feedback, and Reflection, Joint Planning).</p>	<p>Coaching fidelity scores are reported by ECI programs in quarterly Coaching Fidelity Reports. ECI supervisors use the Texas Coaching Fidelity Checklist during coaching observations to assess coaching skills.</p>	<p>Quantitative analysis: Data compilation and analysis of coaching fidelity observations completed by supervisors across all 41 contracted ECI programs. ECI programs submit Coaching Fidelity Reports in March, June, September, and November.</p>	<p>This is a new measure for this reporting period. Coaching observation scores were only analyzed to this level of detail for March submissions. In future reporting periods, all reports will be included.</p> <p>Of the 29 items on the checklist, five items were less than 70% completed by service providers for more than 25% of contractors. Three of these items were in Action/Practice, one was in Joint Planning, and one was in Action Planning. This data indicates that more support is needed in the Action/Practice phase.</p>

Coherent Improvement Strategy #2: Increase families’ knowledge about their role in supporting their children’s development, including their social-emotional development.

Outcome Description	Evaluation Questions	Performance Indicator	Data Collection Method	Evaluation Design & Timeline for Data Collection	Data Collected in FFY21
<p>Increase ECI families’ understanding of their children’s strengths, needs, and abilities, as well as how to help their children develop and learn.</p>	<p>Is there an increase in families’ understanding of their children’s strengths, needs, and abilities, as well as how to help their children develop and learn?</p>	<p>Each year, there will be an increase in the percentage of ECI families responding to the Family Outcomes Survey that they completely or almost completely:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (1) Know the next steps for their child’s growth and learning • (3) Understand their child’s delays and/or needs • (4) Are able to tell when their child is making progress • (11) Are able to help their child get along with others • (12) Are able to help their child learn new skills 	<p>Annual Family Outcomes Survey Section B: Questions 1, 3, 4, 11, 12</p>	<p>Quantitative analysis: Family Outcomes Survey data will be compared to the previous year to determine whether there is an increase.</p>	<p>From State Fiscal Year (SFY) 2021 to SFY 2022, percentages increased for questions 1, 4, and 11:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (1) 89.70% to 90.20% • (3) 93.60% to 93.40% • (4) 95.50% to 95.78% • (11) 91.20% to 91.62% • (12) 94.9% to 94.50%

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Families are better able to communicate their children's needs	Is there an increase in families' perception that they are better able to communicate their children's needs?	<p>Each year, there will be an increase in the percentage of ECI families responding to the Family Outcomes Survey that they are completely or almost completely:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (9) Comfortable asking for services and supports that their child and family need • (16) Comfortable talking to family and friends about their child's needs 	Annual Family Outcomes Survey Section B: Questions 9 and 16	Quantitative analysis: Family Outcomes Survey data will be compared to the previous year to determine whether there is an increase.	<p>From SFY 2021 to SFY 2022, percentages decreased for both questions.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (9) 93.30% to 93.01% • (16) 92.1% to 91.90%

<p>Increase the percentage of families who report ECI helped them learn about their children's development</p>	<p>Is there an increase in families' perception that ECI providers and services helped them understand their children's development?</p>	<p>Each year, there will be an increase in the percentage of ECI families responding to the Family Outcomes Survey who that ECI has been very helpful or extremely helpful in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (7) Giving useful information about their child's delays or needs • (10) Talking with them about their child and family's strengths and needs • (14) Giving useful information about how to help their child get along with others • (15) Giving useful information about how to help their child learn new skills • (18) Identifying things they do that help their child learn and grow. • (22) Working with them to know when their child is making progress 	<p>Annual Family Outcomes Survey Section A: Questions 7, 10, 14, 15, 18, 22</p>	<p>Quantitative analysis: Family Outcomes Survey data will be compared to the previous year to determine whether there is an increase.</p>	<p>From SFY 2021 to SFY 2022, percentages increased for question 22.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (7) 92.20% to 91.97% • (10) 92.00% to 91.62% • (14) 92.10% to 91.75% • (15) 93.70% to 93.15% • (18) 93.70% to 93.24% • (22) 93.00% to 93.09%
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Coherent Strategy #3: Increase primary referral sources', families', and early childhood partners' knowledge that ECI's approach to services is based within the context of the parent-child relationship and results in strengthening parents' capacity to support their children's social-emotional growth that impacts all development.

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Increase access to information of referral sources among early childhood stakeholders, families, and the public through a social media campaign, presentations, and other outreach	Has traffic to ECI webpages increased since the social media campaign launched on September 1, 2022?	The monthly ECI website pageviews will increase after the start of the social media campaign on September 1, 2022.	Website analytics: Page views for ECI webpages	Request website analytics from agency Communications quarterly. The total number of pageviews in August 2022 will serve as the baseline. The social media campaign is scheduled to end in January 2024.	Baseline: August 2022 views: 31,425 September 2022: 30,197 October 2022: 28,834
Improve knowledge and awareness of child find practices among local ECI providers through Child Find Forums	Do Child Find Forums increase knowledge and awareness of child find practices among ECI contractors?	At least 70% of ECI staff who attend Child Find Forums will report that the event increased their knowledge and awareness of Child Find practices.	Post-event evaluations	The frequency of Child Find Forums is not yet determined. Data will be collected through post-event evaluations. FY23 Child Find Forums have not been scheduled.	This is a new measure for a new activity. Data has not yet been collected.